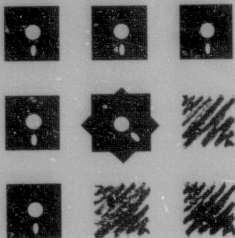




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## PREFACE

This Catalogue lists Electronic Products released and expected to be released in 1991 by the ABS Canberra and State Offices. The Catalogue also provides brief descriptions (abstracts) of the contents of these products.

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### What this Catalogue contains

The Catalogue refers to electronic products released or expected to be released in 1991 by the ABS Canberra and State Offices. The Catalogue is broken up into 2 parts.

The first part containing releases available in the form of Floppy Disk, Magnetic Tape and Microfiche, together with abstracts and other reference information including an index.

The second part contains the special services the ABS has to offer in the form of Electronic Delivery. Details are given as to what the product is, the availability, cost and who to contact.

### Order Forms

Two order forms are located at the back of this Catalogue. The first being a general order form which relates to the

Floppy Disk, Magnetic Tape and Microfiche services. The second order form is for Time Series Data on Floppy Disk (Cat. No. 1337.0).

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Prices quoted in this Catalogue are subject to revision.

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*Irregular; First Issue 1990; \$60.00 — Floppy Disk*

Comprises an explanation of the conceptual basis of the classification, the structure of the classification, alphabetical and numeric coding indexes and a link between ISO codes and the classification codes. The classification is intended for use whenever social, demographic and labour statistics are classified by country.

**Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO) — Coding Index, Occupation Level, Alphabetic and Numeric Order** 1247.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1990; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk*

Comprises a machine readable copy (IBM PC format floppy disk) of the ASCO Coding Index, Occupation Level (in alphabetical and numerical order).

**Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO) — Expert Coding System, Occupation Level, Version 6.0 on Floppy Disk** 1226.0

*Annual; First Issue 1990; \$1,200.00 — Floppy Disk*

Provides a computer assisted method for coding sufficiently detailed occupation data to the most detailed level of ASCO, the occupation level. It incorporates the procedures defined in the ASCO Manual Coding System, Occupation Level.

**Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO) — Coding Index Unit Group Level, Alphabetic and Numeric Order** 1245.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1989; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk*

Comprises a machine readable copy (IBM PC format floppy disk) of the ASCO Coding Index, Unit Group Level (in alphabetical and numerical order).

**Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO) — Export Coding System, Unit Group Level, Version 6.0 on Floppy Disk** 1224.0

*Annual; First Issue 1990; \$1,000.00 — Floppy Disk*

The ASCO computer-assisted coding system provides a fast and efficient method for coding information on occupation obtained in statistical collections to the unit group of ASCO (282 categories). The system is a stand-alone individual-coder productivity tool, running on IBM-XT or AT compatible microcomputers. It combines the coder's ability to analyse and interpret occupation title and task responses with the fast searching and matching abilities of a microcomputer. The published system is a revised and improved version of that used to process occupation responses in the 1986 Census of Population and Housing. It incorporates the procedures defined in ASCO Manual Coding System, Unit Group Level.

**Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO) First Edition — Working Draft Cross Index: Alphabetical Order** 1281.0

*Irregular; First Issue; \$70.00 — Floppy Disk*

A conversion list to assist users in finding equivalent codes for Structure A, Structure B and First Edition ASCO Codes, 1281.0 — sorted in alphabetical order.

**Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO) First Edition — Working Draft Cross Index: First Edition Code Order** 1284.0

*Irregular; First Issue; \$70.00 — Floppy Disk*

A conversion list to assist users in finding equivalent codes for Structure A, Structure B and First Edition ASCO codes. 1284.0 — sorted in structure first edition code order.

**Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO) First Edition — Working Draft Cross Index: Structure A Code Order** 1282.0

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A conversion list to assist users in finding equivalent codes for Structure A, Structure B and First Edition ASCO Codes. 1282.0 — sorted in structure A code order.

**Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO) First Edition — Working Draft Cross Index: Structure B Code Order** 1283.0

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A conversion list to assist users in finding equivalent codes for Structure A, Structure B and First Edition ASCO codes. 1283.0 — sorted in structure B code order.

**Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO) — Keyword Index of Structure Titles** 1241.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1989; \$80.00 — Floppy Disk*

Comprises a machine readable copy (IBM PC format floppy disk) of the keyword index of structure titles. This index contains, in alphabetical order, all words occurring in ASCO principal, alternative, and specialisation titles. It is not designed for coding purposes.

**Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO) — Occupation Definitions** 1243.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1989; \$160.00 — Floppy Disk*

Comprises a machine readable copy (IBM PC format floppy disk) of the ASCO occupation definitions.

**Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO) — Structural Lists** 1240.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1989; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk*

Comprises a machine readable copy (IBM PC format floppy disk) of the structure of ASCO together with a complete listing of all titles in the classification, including alternative and specialisation titles.

**Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO) — Structure and Group Definitions** 1242.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1989; \$100.00 — Floppy Disk*

Comprises a machine readable copy (IBM PC format floppy disk) of the structure of ASCO and the definitions of the major, minor and unit groups.

**Australian Standard Commodity Classification, Volume 1 — Transportable Goods** 1255.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1989-90; \$300.00 — Floppy Disk*

Commodity items used for collecting manufacturing data. Selected files are available on request at component prices.

**Australian Standard Industrial Classification, Volume 2 — Alphabetical Index of Primary Activities** 1238.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1986; \$350.00 — Magnetic Tape*

This volume of the ASIC contains a comprehensive alphabetic list of economic activities, showing for each activity the ASIC class in Volume 1 to which it is primary.

**Australian Standard Industrial Classification, Volume 2 — Alphabetical Index of Primary Activities** 1239.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1983; \$230.00 — Floppy Disk*

For contents see 1238.0

**Australian Standard Industrial Classification, Volume 1 — The Classification** 1236.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1983; \$350.00 — Magnetic Tape*

The Australian Standard Industrial Classification (ASIC) facilitates the compilation of comparable Australian commodity statistics of imports, exports and production and serves as the framework for maintaining and improving the compatibility and usefulness of commodity items in ABS statistical series. Part 1 of the classification manual provides a detailed explanation of the classification and presents standard (i.e. ASCC) items under industry of origin headings which constitute the broad structure of the classification. The separate commodity keys in this part link existing production, tariff, import and export commodity items to ASCC items.

**Australian Standard Industrial Classification, Volume 1 — The Classification** 1237.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1983; \$300.00 — Floppy Disk*

For contents see 1236.0

**Australian Standard Industrial Classification (ASIC) — Expert Coding System, Version 2.9** 1276.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1990; \$500.00 — Floppy Disk*

A lexicon based computer-assisted method for industry coding. This system incorporates the classification detail defined in *Australian Standard Industrial Classification, Volume 1*.

**Australian Transport Freight Commodity Classification (ATFCC)** 1256.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1989-90; \$75.00 — Floppy Disk*

The AFTCC and the interim APC are two transport related classifications designed to enable goods transported to, from and within Australia by sea, air, rail, road or pipeline to be classified in a consistent and standardised manner. The AFTCC classifies goods carried by type of commodity while the APC classifies cargo by its pack characteristics, e.g. 'in bulk' or 'containerised'.

#### GEOGRAPHIC DATA

**GEOSTATS Small Area Data Service** 1324.0

*Annual; First Issue 1989; \$40.00 — Reference Manual*

GEOSTATS provides summary data for statistical local areas, legal local government areas, statistical divisions and State totals. The most recent statistics are provided for population, vital statistics, manufacturing, retail, agriculture, local government finance, tourist accommodation and building. The data are presented as time series, the longest coverage being quarterly data for tourist accommodation since December Quarter 1979. The manual provides a reference for all GEOSTATS Small Area Data Service Products (1325.0, 1326.0, 1327.0 and 1328.0).

- GEOSTATS Small Area Data Service: Data Release on Magnetic Tape** 1326.0  
*Annual; First Issue 1989; \$1,250.00 — Magnetic Tape*  
 For contents see 1324.0
- GEOSTATS Small Area Data Service: Data Release on Microfiche** 1327.0  
*Annual; First Issue 1989; P.O.A. — Microfiche*  
 For contents see 1324.0
- GEOSTATS Small Area Data Service: Standard Profile on Floppy Disk** 1325.0  
*Annual; First Issue 1989; P.O.A. — Floppy Disk*  
 Data for Capital City Statistical Divisions and Remainder of States by Statistical Local Area. For contents see 1324.0.
- GEOSTATS Small Area Data Service: Tailored Reports on Floppy Disk** 1328.0  
*Annual; First Issue 1989; P.O.A. — Floppy Disk*  
 For contents see 1324.0.
- HISTORICAL STATISTICS**
- Catalogue of Historical Microfiche Series — Statistical Publications 1901—1984** 1121.0  
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 A list of publications on microfiche available as part of the Historical Microfiche Series (which contains over 10,000 microfiche). The Catalogue also includes titles and subject indexes as well as an order form.
- Colonial Microfiche: Catalogue of Australian Statistical Publications** 1115.0  
*On Request; First Issue 1804—1901; \$10,500.00 — Microfiche*  
 The Colonial Microfiche is a collection of over 250,000 pages of information stored on more than 3,000 fiche. It represents most of the statistics published by the various Colonial bureaus and their precursors, and also includes the 1901 Census, the first and only Census to be carried out individually by each of the newly federated States. Individual State sets and titles can also be purchased.
- Historical Microfiche Series — Statistical Publications, 1901 to 1984** 1122.0  
*On Request; First Issue 1901 to 1984; \$15,000.00 — Microfiche*  
 The Historical Microfiche Series contains publications released by the Central Office of the Australian Bureau of Statistics in the period 1901—1984. The series contains over 10,000 microfiche, a detailed catalogue, index cards and a timber storage cabinet. The \$15,000 purchase price includes courier delivery.
- Annual Update: \$1,000*
- Publications released in Central and State Offices of the Australian Bureau of Statistics from 1985 are available in microfiche form at \$1,000 per annum. Discounted rates are available to purchasers of the Historical Microfiche Series (1901 — 1984).
- NOTE:** For further information about Colonial and Historical microfiche contact Microform Control Unit (06) 252 6619.

## MODELLING DATABASE

**Australian Medium—Term Policy Simulation (AMPS) Model and Data Base on Floppy Disk** 1345.0

*Twice—yearly; First Issue June 1991; \$70.00 (Ann Sub \$140.00) — Floppy Disk*

Provides approximately 150 time series forming the data base for the Australian Medium-Term Policy Simulation (AMPS) Model. A document, 'A Macroeconometric Model of the Australian Economy for Medium-Term Policy Analysis', published by EPAC provides full details of the model. The floppy disk package contains both the data base and the model; it allows the user to load the model and data into various econometric simulation packages. Amendments to the Manual are included with this package.

**Australian Medium—Term Policy Simulation (AMPS) Model Data Base Manual** 1344.0

*Irregular; First Issue June 1991; \$50.00 — Manual*

The Manual contains a description of the data and The Australian Medium-Term Policy Simulation (AMPS) Model, and analysis of various simulations performed using the model.

**Australian Medium—Term Policy Simulation (AMPS) Model and Data Base on Microfiche** 1346.0

*Twice—yearly; First Issue June 1991; \$10.00 (Ann Sub \$20.00) — Microfiche*

Provides approximately 150 times series forming the data base for the Australian Medium-Term Policy Simulation (AMPS) Model. A document, 'A Macroeconometric Model of the Australian Economy for Medium-Term Policy Analysis', published by EPAC provides full details of the model. The microfiche package contains both the data base and the model. Amendments to the Manual are included with this package.

**NIF—10S Model Data Base** 1340.0

*Quarterly; First Issue Dec 1989; (Annual Subscription \$40.00, includes quarterly updates) — Manual*

Provides over 400 time series forming the data base for the National Income Forecasting (NIF) Model of the Australian economy. A document, 'The NIF—10 Model of the Australian Economy', published by the Treasury, provides a comprehensive description of version 10 of the NIF model and gives details of the model variables. The Treasury has published a document 'Proceedings of the Conference on the NIF—10 Model' held at the Australian National University on October 1982, in which NIF—10S (an extended version of NIF—10 more suitable for simulation studies) was presented and analysed. The data base associated with this release is provided on magnetic tape (1341.0), floppy disk (1342.0) and microfiche (1343.0). Amendments to the manual are provided with each of these packages.

**NIF—10S Model Data Base on Magnetic Tape** 1341.0

*Quarterly; First Issue Dec 1989; \$380.00 (Annual Subscription \$1,520.00) — Magnetic Tape*

For contents see 1340.0

**NIF—10S Model Data Base on Floppy Disk** 1342.0

*Quarterly; First Issue Dec 1989; \$140.00 (Ann Sub \$560.00) — Floppy Disk*

For contents see 1340.0

**NIF—10S Model Data Base on Microfiche** 1343.0

*Quarterly; First Issue Dec 1989; \$20.00 (Ann Sub \$80.00) — Microfiche*

For contents see 1340.0

## STATISTICAL INDEXES

## Index of Localities, New South Wales

1104.1

*Three—yearly; First Issue 1987; \$155.00 — Floppy Disk*

This index is an alphabetical list of all localities in NSW showing the local government area in which each locality is situated. In addition, the Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) numeric codes are shown against each entry in the index. The index is designed primarily for use in allocating an address of a residence to the area in which that residence is situated.

Available from Sydney Office (see back page for address and telephone number).

## Socio—Economic Indexes for Areas

1356.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1986; \$15.00 — Information Paper*

Contains technical details regarding the production of five socio-economic indexes available from the ABS. The indexes use 1986 Census data to rank Collection Districts, Local Government Areas, Statistical Local Areas and Postcodes by summarising a range of socio-economic attributes. The indexes are: Urban and Rural Indexes of Relative Socio-Economic Advantage, the Index of Relative Disadvantage, an Index of Economic Resources and an Education/Occupation index. Examples of variables used are income at household and family levels, types of occupation held, level of education attained and housing arrangements.

## Socio—Economic Indexes for Areas, Australia

1355.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1986; \$2,000.00 — Floppy Disk*

Five Socio-Economic Indexes for Local Government Areas, Statistical Local Areas, Postcodes and Collection Districts for Australia on floppy-disks. Each index allows testing of specific aspects of socio-economic attributes, such as high or low income, level of education attained or occupation held, housing arrangements and amount of income being received. A fully documented software package facilitates the manipulation of the indexes. Technical details provided in an Information Paper (ABS Catalogue No. 1356.0).

## Socio—Economic Indexes for Areas, Australian Capital Territory

1355.8

*Irregular; First Issue 1986; \$1,050.00 — Floppy Disk*

Contents as in 1355.0, but for the Australian Capital Territory.

## Socio—Economic Indexes for Areas, New South Wales

1355.1

*Irregular; First Issue 1986; \$1,300.00 — Floppy Disk*

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## Socio—Economic Indexes for Areas, Northern Territory

1355.7

*Irregular; First Issue 1986; \$1,050.00 — Floppy Disk*

Contents as in 1355.0, but for the Northern Territory.

## Socio—Economic Indexes for Areas, Queensland

1355.3

*Irregular; First Issue 1986; \$1,150.00 — Floppy Disk*

Contents as in 1355.0, but for Queensland.

**Socio—Economic Indexes for Areas, South Australia**

1355.4

*Irregular; First Issue 1986; \$1,100.00 — Floppy Disk*

Contents as in 1355.0, but for South Australia.

**Socio—Economic Indexes for Areas, Tasmania**

1355.6

*Irregular; First Issue 1986; \$1,050.00 — Floppy Disk*

Contents as in 1355.0, but for Tasmania.

**Socio—Economic Indexes for Areas, Victoria**

1355.2

*Irregular; First Issue 1986; \$1,200.00 — Floppy Disk*

Contents as in 1355.0, but for Victoria.

**Socio—Economic Indexes for Areas, Western Australia**

1355.5

*Irregular; First Issue 1986; \$1,100.00 — Floppy Disk*

Contents as in 1355.0, but for Western Australia.

**TIME SERIES STATISTICS****Time Series Data Directory on Floppy Disk**

1338.0

*On Request; P.O.A. — Floppy Disk*

Provides a directory of series identifiers and relevant descriptor records to enable easy identification of series required. The disks are available in DOS compatible 5 1/4" or 3 1/2" formats as well as Macintosh.

**Time Series Data On Floppy Disk**

1337.0

*On Request; P.O.A. — Floppy Disk*

Provides access to approximately 100,000 time series of socio—economic data covering 17 subjects which range from agriculture to transport and tourism from which user's may select data to meet their requirements. The disks are available in IBM/PC/DOS or MS/DOS compatible 5 1/4" or 3 1/2" formats, as well as Macintosh. All data files are in a proprietary ASCII format. Utility software is provided on disk and can be used to generate files for loading to a variety of microcomputer applications such as LOTUS 123, LOTUS SYMPHONY or MICROSOFT MULTIPLAN (see order form at the back of this Catalogue).

**Time Series Service — Magnetic Tape**

1334.0

*Quarterly; First Issue Mar 1979; \$400.00 (Ann Sub \$1,450.00) — Magnetic Tape*

Provides approximately 5,000 time series of which 870 are seasonally adjusted and 590 are trend series. Most series span ten to twenty years. The service is available within two weeks after each release of *Quarterly Estimates of National Income and Expenditure, Australia* (5206.0). All of the series in that publication are included in the service as are balance of payments series at the greatest level of quarterly detail available and series from *Retail Sales of Goods (Excluding Motor Vehicles, Parts, Petrol, etc.), Australia* (8503.0). In addition, the service provides a wide range of other important economic and social statistics, especially in the field of labour, prices and private finance.

**Time Series Service — Microfiche***Quarterly; First Issue Mar 1979; \$100.00 (Ann Sub \$350.00) — Microfiche*

For contents see 1334.0

**CENSUS OF POPULATION AND HOUSING****Census 86 — Australian Standard Classification of Occupations / Classification and Classified List of Occupations: Link File**

2199.0

*Magnetic Tape \$300.00*

Links the Australian Standard Classification of Occupations used in the 1986 Census and the Classification and Classified List of Occupations used in previous censuses. The file is based on dual coding of occupations to both classifications of a five per cent sample of the employed labour force from the 1986 Census. Technical details are provided with the file.

**Census 86 — Australian Standard Geographical Classification File**

2189.0

*Magnetic Tape \$300.00*

This file provides descriptions and codes of the following structures of the Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) Edition 3: detailed main structure, statistical district structure, alphabetic list of legal local government areas and statistical local areas, alphabetic list of statistical local areas, statistical region structure and alphabetic list of urban centres/rural localities. Technical details are provided with the file.

**Census 86 — Census Data on Floppy Disk**

2195.0

*Floppy Disk P.O.A.*

Statistical and geographic data from 1986 Census in formats suitable for IBM PC/XT (360k) or compatible computers. For information on data available on floppy disk see 2180.0.

**Census 86 — Census Data for Microcomputers**

2180.0

*Free Information Paper*

Describes the products which are available on floppy disk and CD—ROM. It provides order forms and details of prices.

**Census 86 — Collection District Master File (CDMF)**

2179.0

*Free Information Paper*

Describes the contents of the Collection District Master File (CDMF) available on magnetic tape (2187.0) and floppy disk (2195.0). Order forms are included.

**Census 86 — Collection District Master File**

2187.0

*Magnetic Tape \$300.00*

The Collection District Master File (CDMF) contains basic counts and associated geographic codes for every collection district (CD) in Australia. Technical details are provided with the file. More information is available in 2179.0.

**Census 86 — Collection District Summary File****2190.0***Magnetic Tape \$300.00 (63RPmm(1600BPI)), \$720.00 (246RPmm(6250BPI))*

The Collection District Summary File (CDSF) contains, for each collection district, geographic codes and counts of characteristics of persons and dwellings in 46 tables based on census count at place of enumeration. More information is available in 2186.0.

**Census 86 — Commonwealth Electoral Division Summary File****2193.0***Magnetic Tape \$300.0*

A selection of 70 tables based on census count at place of enumeration are provided on this file for each Commonwealth electoral division. Technical details are provided with the file. More information is available in 2186.0.

**Census 86 — Cross—classified Tables on Magnetic Tape****2198.0***Magnetic Tape \$300.00 per table (table CX0510 — \$1100.00)*

Detailed tables containing cross-classified variables. Tables are available on usual residence and place of enumeration bases. Also available on floppy disk by request.

**Census 86 — Households Sample Files on Magnetic Tape****2196.0***Magnetic Tape \$3,000.00*

Two files containing data for two independent one per cent samples of unidentified persons, their families and dwellings are available. One file is available for sections of State, the other for States and Territories. More information is available in 2184.0. Technical details are provided with the files.

**Census 86 — Large Legal Local Government Area Summary Files****2192.0***Magnetic Tape \$300.00 (63RPmm(1600BPI)), \$600.00 (246RPmm(6250BPI))*

Tables in these files have been generated on both bases of enumeration for each legal local government area containing 1,000 or more persons. The files contain a selection of 70 tables based on census count at place of enumeration; or 37 tables based on census count at place of usual residence. Technical details are provided with these files. More information is available in 2186.0.

**Census 86 — Microfiche (Final Edition)****2185.0***Free Information Paper*

Describes what data are available on microfiche and how to order.

**Census 86 — Microfiche Tables****2298.0***Microfiche P.O.A.*

A large amount of data released from the census is available on this medium; including small area data, cross-classified tables, maps and geographic code lists. For more information see 2185.0.

**Census 86 — Postcode Summary File****2197.0***Magnetic Tape \$300.00*

Based on census count at place of enumeration, provides 46 tables of data on persons and dwellings in postcode areas. Technical details are provided with the file.

**Census 86 — Sample Files on Magnetic Tape****2184.0***Free Information Paper*

Explains which sample unit record files are available from the 1986 Census, how these files can be used, and explains the conditions under which the files are released. Order forms for sample files are included.

**Census 86 — Standard Tables on Magnetic Tape****2186.0***Free Information Paper*

Provides details about standard summary files on magnetic tape from the small area data base, and standard cross-classified tables on magnetic tape.

**Census 86 — Statistical Local Area Summary Files****2191.0***Magnetic Tape \$300.00*

The Statistical Local Area Summary Files (SLASF) contain, for each statistical local area, a series of counts of census characteristics of persons and dwellings. One file is based on census count at place of enumeration (46 tables); the other is based on census count at place of usual residence (28 tables). Technical details are provided with the files. More information is available in 2186.0.

**Census 86 — Urban Centre Summary File****2194.0***Magnetic Tape \$300.00*

This file, based on census count at place of enumeration, provides 70 tables of data on persons and dwellings for urban centres. Technical details are provided with the file. More information is available in 2186.0.

**Census 91 — Collection District Maps****2920.0***Microfiche \$10.00*

These maps show collection district boundaries and codes and statistical local area boundaries on a topographic base. They cover the whole of Australia. Black and white microfiche will be available and colour microfiche may be available on request. To be released late 1991.

*NOTE: For further information on Census data and how to order contact Information Services, ABS, Canberra or any State Office.*

**DEMOGRAPHY****Age and Sex Distribution of Estimated Resident Population of Statistical Local Areas, New South Wales****3211.1***Annual; First Issue 1987; \$75.00 — Floppy Disk*

Contains, for each statistical local area and statistical area, details of the age distribution (in five-year groupings) and sex of the estimated resident population.

Available from Sydney Office (see back page for address and phone number).

**Age and Sex Distribution of Estimated Resident Population, Queensland — Technical Details and Explanatory Notes**

3217.3

*Annual; First Issue 30 Jun 1997; \$70.00 — Floppy Disk*

Age and sex distribution of estimated resident population for statistical divisions, statistical subdivisions, statistical districts, statistical local areas and local government areas (2 years). Includes a technical paper. Available from Brisbane Office (see back page for address and phone number).

**Demographic History, Queensland**

3104.3

*On Demand; First Issue 1856 — 1990; P.O.A. — Floppy Disk*

A floppy disk product containing over 70 historical series including: estimated resident population; births; deaths; natural increase; migration; rates of population change; marriages and divorces. The latest data are for 1989, and many of the series date back to 1856. The floppy disk is accompanied by a pamphlet outlining the main features of some of the series. Available from Brisbane Office (see back page for address and phone number).

**Estimated Resident Population by Age and Sex in Statistical Local Areas, Victoria**

3208.2

*Annual; First Issue 30 June 1988; \$70.00 — Floppy Disk*

Provides population estimates as at 30 June. Available from Melbourne Office (see back page for address and phone number).

**GENERAL SOCIAL STATISTICS****Disability and Ageing Survey, Australia, Unit Record Data — Sample Files**

4124.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1989 — Free Information Paper*

Contains information about the data included, technical and other details of the data file, conditions of issue and how the information may be ordered.

**Time Use Pilot Survey, Sydney, Unit Record File on Magnetic Tape**

4113.1

*Irregular; First Issue May and Jun 1987 — Free Information Paper*

Contains technical detail of the Time Use Pilot Survey record file on magnetic tape. An order form for the tape and its price and conditions of sale is also included. Available from Sydney Office (see back page for address and phone number).

**EDUCATION****Schools, Australia, Selected Tables**

4223.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1989; \$250.00 — Floppy Disk*

Provides comprehensive statistics on schools, students and staff, covering both government and non-government primary and secondary education.

**HEALTH****Australian National Health Survey, Sample File on Magnetic Tape**

4324.0

*Irregular; Latest Issue 1983 — Free Information Paper*

This information paper provides technical and other details of the sample file, conditions of issue and how to order it.

- Alcohol Consumption Patterns Survey, South Australia, Sample File On Magnetic Tape** 4305.4  
*Irregular; First Issue Oct 1983 — Free Information Paper*  
 Contains technical and other details of the above sample file, conditions of issue and ordering information. Available from the Adelaide Office (see back page for address and phone number).
- Alcohol and Tobacco Consumption Patterns Survey, Australia, Sample File on Magnetic Tape** 4360.0  
*Irregular; First Issue Feb 1977 — Free Information Paper*  
 Provides information about a magnetic tape file containing data from the 1977 Alcohol and Tobacco Consumption Patterns Survey. The information provided includes technical details of the tape format and file and record structures, the data content of the file and conditions of use.
- Health Insurance Survey, Sample File on Magnetic Tape, Australia** 4354.0  
*Irregular; Latest Issue 1986 — Free Information Paper*  
 This information paper provides technical and other details of the above sample files (separate file for each year of the survey), conditions of issue and how to order them.
- National Health Survey: Health Related Actions** 4375.0  
*Irregular; First Issue 1989-90; \$100.00 — Floppy Disk*  
 A set of detailed national tables describing the actions people had taken about their health and focuses those actions taken as a consequence of illness or injury in two weeks before interview. Actions covered include consultation with doctors, dentists and other health professionals, use medications, and days away from work or school. Information on hospital episodes is also included. Tables show actions cross-classified by reasons for action and a range of demographic and socio-economic characteristics. Expected to be released in July 1991.
- National Health Survey: Health Risk Factors** 4380.0  
*Irregular; First Issue 1989-90; \$100.00 — Floppy Disk*  
 A set of detailed national tables describing the levels and patterns of alcohol consumption, smoking and exercise in the population. Information is also presented on height/weight, dietary changes, usage of sunscreens and immunization. Tables show these factors cross-classified by a range of demographic and socio-economic characteristics and selected other topics from the survey Expected to be released in August 1991.
- National Health Survey: Health Status Indicators** 4370.0  
*Irregular; First Issue 1989-90; \$100.00 — Floppy Disk*  
 A set of detailed national tables describing the prevalence and types of recent and long-term illness and injury experienced in the community. Tables show illness and injury cross-classified by a range of socio-economic and demographic characteristics and selected other topics covered in the survey. Expected to be released in June 1991.
- National Health Survey: Products and Service** 4362.0  
*Irregular; First Issue 1989-90 — Free Information Paper*  
 Contains information about the publications and other releases of statistics from the survey, as well as information concerning the availability of special data services on request.

## WELFARE AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Child Care Arrangements Survey, Australia, Sample File on Magnetic Tape 4413.0

*Irregular; First Issue Nov 1984 — Free Information Paper*

Provides technical and other details of the sample file, conditions of issue and how to order it.

Domiciliary Services, Victoria, 1986 — Sample File on Magnetic Tape 4403.2

*Irregular; First Issue 1986 — Free Information Paper*

Provides a description of the sample file for the Domiciliary Support Services Survey conducted in October 1986. Contains details of the magnetic tape formats available, file structure, record structure, how to use the data, conditions of use and an order form. Available from the Melbourne Office (see back page for address and phone number).

Family Survey, Australia, Sample File on Magnetic Tape 4412.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1982 — Free Information Paper*

This information paper provides technical and other details of the sample file, conditions of issue and how to order it.

## NATIONAL ACCOUNTS

Australian National Accounts: Input-Output Tables Three Yearly 5209.0

*Latest Issue 1986-87; \$43.50 — Microfiche with Publication*

Shows input by industry and output by commodity group; industry by industry flow matrices; direct and total requirement coefficient matrices. Also provides detailed definitions and explanations of the concepts and structure of Australian input-output tables; appendixes show relationship of input-output and national income and expenditure concepts and aggregates, input-output classification in terms of ASIC, a key between input-output industries and industry groups used in detailed and aggregated tables respectively, and a floppy disk order form. See also 5215.0.

Australian National Accounts: Input-Output Tables (Commodity Details) 5215.0

*Three Yearly; Latest Issue 1986-87; \$43.50 — Microfiche with Publication*

Provides detailed information about the Input-Output Commodity Classification (IOCC). Also shows the value of Australian production, imports and exports for over 1,000 commodities classified to the industry from which each originates, such as agriculture, manufacturing, business services and personal services. See also 5209.0.

Australian National Accounts: Input-Output Tables on Floppy Disk 5230.0

*Three Yearly; First Issue 1983-84 and 1986-87 — Free Information Paper*

Provides information on input-output tables available on floppy disk. The tables are in a format easily read by most standard spreadsheet packages. Tables in this format provide a mechanism for users to manipulate input-output data to best meet their individual requirements. See also 5209.0. Costs of the floppy disk service depend on the tables ordered. Details are provided in this Information Paper.

ABS  
Cat. No.**Australian National Accounts: Quarterly Data on Floppy Disk**

5228.0

*Quarterly; First Issue Mar 1988; \$86.50 (Ann Sub \$346.00) — Floppy Disk*

Detailed presentation of quarterly national accounts at both current prices and average 1984–85 prices in both original and seasonally adjusted terms. Series are grouped into separate files, each of which corresponds to a table in the quarterly national accounts publication (see 5206.0). They are presented in a format easily read by most standard spreadsheets.

**BALANCE OF PAYMENTS and FOREIGN INVESTMENT****Balance of Payments, Australia**

5301.0

*Monthly; First Issue Mar 1976; \$65.00 (Ann Sub \$285.00) — Floppy Disk*

Preliminary estimates of the principal balance of payments aggregates and balances. Also provides merchandise trade and balance on current account (seasonally adjusted and trend estimates); key components of merchandise trade; original and seasonally adjusted estimates of services, income and unrequited transfers; trend estimates for major aggregates; and a broad sectional dissection of the capital account. Includes data on exchange rates, analytical comment and a reconciliation of levels of official reserve assets with changes included in the balance of payments. (see Time Series order form at the back of this Catalogue for ordering details)

**Balance of Payments, Australia**

5302.0

*Quarterly; First Issue Dec 1961; \$130.00 (Ann Sub \$400.00) — Floppy Disk*

Detailed quarterly balance of payments tables on current and capital transactions, including seasonally adjusted and constant price estimates of the current account. Also includes data on exchange rates, analytical comment, principal balance of payments aggregates and reconciliations of foreign trade statistics and levels of official reserve assets with balance of payments data. Also includes articles of interest and a list of such articles published in recent balance of payments and foreign investment publications. (see Time Series order form at the back of this Catalogue for ordering details)

**Balance of Payments, Australia — Historical Series on Microfiche (1 July 1959 Onwards)**

5337.0

*Quarterly; Final Issue Sep 1989; P.O.A. — Microfiche with Publication*

Historical estimates of the balance of payments on current and capital accounts at the greatest level of quarterly and monthly detail available. Quarterly estimates are provided back to 1959–60; and monthly estimates back to 1971–72. All monthly and quarterly series contained in this publication will continue to be made available in tabular format on hardcopy or floppy disk on request.

**Balance of Payments, Australia — Regional Series on Microfiche**

5338.0

*Annual; Final Issue 1987–88; P.O.A. — Microfiche with Publication*

Estimates of the balance of payments dissected into the greatest level of country and regional detail available. Includes considerably more country and regional detail than in 5303.0. Estimates are available for the last six financial years. Data contained in this publication will continue to be made available on request.

**NOTE:** For further information on 5337.0 and 5338.0 contact Trevor Jolly on (06) 252 6820.

**Foreign Investment Australia: Supplementary Country and Industry Statistics**

5352.0

*Annual; First Issue 1986-87; \$100.00 — Microfiche with Publication*

Provides comprehensive foreign investment statistics to supplement the annual foreign investment publication 5305.0. For foreign investment in Australia it includes details on country of investor, industry of investment and some cross-classification of country by industry for the level (stock) of investment, investment flows and associated income. For Australian investment abroad similar detail is provided in respect of country of investment.

**FOREIGN TRADE****Foreign Trade, Australia, Exports**

5436.0

*Annual; First Issue 1985-86; \$55.00 — Microfiche with Publication*

Quantity and value of Australian exports (including re-exports) of approximately 10,000 commodities classified by country of destination. Gross weight data are also shown. Data are presented in both item and country order. Value of exports by country and by sections and divisions of the SITC Revision 3.

**Foreign Trade, Australia, Imports**

5437.0

*Annual; First Issue 1985-86; \$80.00 — Microfiche with Publication*

Quantity and value of Australian imports of approximately 10,000 commodities classified by country of origin. Data are presented in both item and country order. Value of imports by country and by sections and divisions of the SITC Revision 3.

**Foreign Trade, Fasttracs Service**

5461.0

*Electronic Delivery P.O.A.*

FASTTRACCS is a FAST Foreign TRade ACCess System which utilises high speed report specification and electronic delivery. Clients can call Information Services in any ABS office, explain their needs and have the data electronically faxed to them in minutes. Statistics can be provided for quantity and value of commodities for all or selected countries/states. Aggregations can be undertaken and can be tailored to client requests by month or quarter, or on a calendar year, financial year or user specified basis.

**Foreign Trade, Magnetic Tape Service**

5464.0

*Monthly, Quarterly, Annual; First Issue 1981-82 — Magnetic Tape*

Statistics for exports, imports and import clearances are available on magnetic tape. This subscription service is recommended where users wish to obtain an extensive range of trade data at the most detailed level.

**Foreign Trade, Special Returns Service**

5463.0

*Electronic Delivery P.O.A.*

This subscription service provides commodity-based Foreign Trade statistics tailored to clients' requirements. The data are available via the electronic mail service TELESTATS (see Information Consultancy for more detail).

**Foreign Trade, Standard Tables on Microfiche**

5450.0

*Monthly, Quarterly, Annual; First Issue 1971-72 — Microfiche*

A variety of tabular formats is available covering commodities exported or imported at various levels of aggregation

*NOTE: For more detailed information on Foreign Trade data on TELESTATS, Special Returns Service, Magnetic Tape and Microfiche contact the Foreign Trade Section, ABS, Canberra.*

**FINANCE****Monthly Statistics for Corporations Registered under the Financial Corporations Act**

5647.0

*Monthly, Annual; First Issue Jan 1990; \$1,548.00 Annual Sub. — Floppy Disk*

Statistics previously published in 5637.0, 5638.0, 5639.0, 5640.0 are now available as individual tables or as complete issues commencing with January 1990. The information is sourced from the Reserve Bank Australia, reconfigured and made available on request. The statistics cover the financial operations, selected liabilities, selected assets, interest rates and maturity dissections of financial institutions previously reported in the above mentioned publications.

*NOTE: For further information about this release contact the Supervisor, Private Finance Section, Corporate Sector, ABS, Canberra (06) 252 7109.*

**Standardised Local Government Finance Statistics, New South Wales**

1219.1

*Annual; First Issue 1979; \$350.00 — Magnetic Tape*

Makes available detailed standardised local government finance statistics for all local government authorities.

**Standardised Local Government Finance Statistics, New South Wales**

1212.1

*Annual; First Issue 1979-80; \$30.00 — Microfiche*

Makes available detailed standardised local government finance statistics for all local government authorities.

**Standardised Local Government Finance Statistics, Northern Territory**

1219.7

*Annual; First Issue 1979; \$350.00 — Magnetic Tape*

Makes available detailed standardised local government finance statistics for all local government authorities.

**Standardised Local Government Finance Statistics, Northern Territory**

1212.7

*Annual; First Issue 1979-80; \$5.00 — Microfiche*

Makes available detailed standardised local government finance statistics for all local government authorities.

**Standardised Local Government Finance Statistics, Queensland**

1219.3

*Annual; First Issue 1979; \$350.00 — Magnetic Tape*

Makes available detailed standardised local government finance statistics for all local government authorities.

<b>Standardised Local Government Finance Statistics, Queensland</b>	<b>1212.3</b>
<i>Annual; First Issue 1979-80; \$20.00 — Microfiche</i>	
Makes available detailed standardised local government finance statistics for all local government authorities.	
<b>Standardised Local Government Finance Statistics, South Australia</b>	<b>1219.4</b>
<i>Annual; First Issue 1979; \$350.00 — Magnetic Tape</i>	
Makes available detailed standardised local government finance statistics for all local government authorities.	
<b>Standardised Local Government Finance Statistics, South Australia</b>	<b>1212.4</b>
<i>Annual; First Issue 1979-80; \$20.00 — Microfiche</i>	
Makes available detailed standardised local government finance statistics for all local government authorities.	
<b>Standardised Local Government Finance Statistics, Tasmania</b>	<b>1219.6</b>
<i>Annual; First Issue 1979; \$350.00 — Magnetic Tape</i>	
Makes available detailed standardised local government finance statistics for all local government authorities.	
<b>Standardised Local Government Finance Statistics, Tasmania</b>	<b>1212.6</b>
<i>Annual; First Issue 1979-80; \$10.00 — Microfiche</i>	
Makes available detailed standardised local government finance statistics for all local government authorities.	
<b>Standardised Local Government Finance Statistics, Victoria</b>	<b>1212.2</b>
<i>Annual; First Issue 1979-80; \$30.00 — Microfiche</i>	
Makes available detailed standardised local government finance statistics for all local government authorities.	
<b>Standardised Local Government Finance Statistics, Victoria</b>	<b>1219.2</b>
<i>Annual; First Issue 1979; \$350.00 — Magnetic Tape</i>	
Makes available detailed standardised local government finance statistics for all local government authorities.	
<b>Standardised Local Government Finance Statistics, Western Australia</b>	<b>1212.5</b>
<i>Annual; First Issue 1979-80; \$20.00 — Microfiche</i>	
Makes available detailed standardised local government finance statistics for all local government authorities.	

ABS  
Cat. No.**Standardised Local Government Finance Statistics, Western Australia**

1219.5

*Annual; First Issue 1979; \$350.00 — Magnetic Tape*

Makes available detailed standardised local government finance statistics for all local government authorities.

**Standardised Local Government Finance Statistics, User Manual**

1212.0

*Annual; First Issue 1983; \$15.00 — Manual*

Detailed standardised local government finance statistics for all local government authorities in the six States and Northern Territory are available on Microfiche (1212.1 to 1212.7) on Magnetic tape (1219.1 to 1219.7).

**GENERAL LABOUR STATISTICS****The Labour Force, Australia — Preliminary Data**

6271.0

*Monthly; First Issue Feb 1988; \$65.00 (Ann Sub \$720.00) — Floppy Disk*

Civilian population aged 15 and over classified by sex, labour force status, full-time and part-time status, States and Territories, and, for unemployed, aged 15-19 (looking for first job total), 20 and over.

**PRICES****Consumer Price Index**

6401.0

*Quarterly; First Issue Jun 1960; \$65.00 (Ann Sub \$125.00) — Floppy Disk*

Movements in retail prices of goods and services commonly purchased by metropolitan wage and salary earner households. The goods and services are divided into the following groups: food; clothing; housing; household equipment and operation; transportation; tobacco and alcohol; health and personal care; recreation and education. Indexes are published for each of these groups and 'All Groups' indexes are published for each of the State capitals, Canberra and Darwin and for the weighted average of eight capital cities. Details are also shown for about 50 sub-groups and special series, for the weighted average of the eight capital cities. (see Time Series order at the back of this Catalogue for ordering details)

**Consumer Price Index — Mortgage Interest Charges Model**

6443.0

*Irregular; First Issue; \$350.00 — Floppy Disk*

Supplied as a LOTUS 123 worksheet on floppy disk this model will be of use to analysts and others interested in understanding the details of the method used to calculate this component of the CPI, and can be used in forecasting. Quarterly updates of key variables are supplied in printed form at a cost of \$100.00 per annum.

## INCOME

**Income Distribution, Australia**

6547.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1986; \$500.00 — Floppy Disk*

Contains data on persons with earned income and examines the relationship between levels of earned income and demographic and social characteristics of the recipients, e.g. age, sex, labour force attachment, educational qualifications, occupations, etc.

## EXPENDITURE

**1989-90 Income Distribution Survey, Australia: Sample File on Magnetic Tape**

6543.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1981-82 — Free Information Paper*

Provides technical and other details of the sample file, conditions of use and how to order it.

**1988-89 Household Expenditure Survey, Australia: Sample File on Magnetic Tape**

6544.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1984 — Free Information Paper*

Provides technical and other details of the sample file, conditions of issue and how to order it.

## AGRICULTURE

**AgStats, Australia**

7107.0

*Annual; First Issue 1977-78 — Free Information Paper*

An information paper detailing the media (Magnetic Tape, Microfiche and Floppy Disk) on which the data are available — pricing and ordering procedures are included. AGSTATS consists of the annual Agricultural Census results at small area level in the six States and two Territories.

**AgStats Australia**

7119.0

*Annual; First Issue 1976-77; \$20.00 — Reference Manual*

Contains information on data collected, commodity and area classifications. Also provides information on the three media — magnetic tape, microfiche and floppy disk — on which the data are released. The Manual is free if the Magnetic Tape(7116.0) or a full set of Floppy Disks(7117.0) are purchased.

**AgStats on Floppy Disk, Australia**

7117.0

*Annual; First Issue 1986-87; \$2,500.00 — Floppy Disk*

For contents see 7116.0. A complete database and software product suitable for use on most MSDOS microcomputers. Available for each State on request.

**AgStats on Magnetic Tape, Australia**

7116.0

*Annual; First Issue 1976-77; \$2,500.00 — Magnetic Tape*

A regional profile product offering commodity statistics relating to each small area in States and Territories drawn from the Australian Bureau of Statistics Integrated Agricultural Commodity Census plus Supermap software for retrieval, manipulation, tabulations and mapping of data. The data include information on area and production of crops; pastures; livestock numbers; area of crops irrigated and use of fertilisers. Suitable for use in most mainframes.

**AgStats on Microfiche, Australia**

7118.0

*Annual; First Issue 1976-77; \$750.00 — Microfiche*

For contents see 7116.0. Data are available for commodity by area, and area by commodity, and can be purchased by State on request.

**MINING****Integrated Economic Censuses, Enterprise Statistics Data on Magnetic Tape, Australia**

8113.0

*Annual; Final Issue 1984-85; P.O.A. — Magnetic Tape*

The tapes contain data for enterprises predominantly engaged in mining (except services to mining) and manufacturing, and which operated for the whole of the relevant financial year. To create the tapes, individual enterprise records are ranked in descending order of turnover within industry class. Groups of at least four enterprises are then created to preserve confidentiality and the aggregated unit data (for a number of different data items, e.g. turnover, opening and closing stocks, purchases and selected expenses, rent and leasing expenses, capital expenditure, employment and wages and salaries) are compiled for each group of enterprises. *NOTE: More recent data is available on request.*

**ENERGY****National Energy Survey: Household Sample File on Magnetic Tape**

8215.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1982-83 — Free Information Paper*

Household unit record data files from the 1985-86 National Energy Survey are available on separate magnetic tapes, one for each of the States. An information paper free of charge about the tapes includes an outline of the data, technical details of the tape formats, conditions of issue and the appropriate order forms.

**National Energy Survey Household Sample File on Magnetic Tape**

8220.0

*Irregular; First Issue 1985-86; \$2,550.00 — Magnetic Tape*

Contains responses from 16,290 households across Australia. Data include appliance ownership and daily usage patterns; dwelling and household characteristics; types of energy used; electricity and gas consumption, cost and seasonal usage patterns. Ideal data base for modelling and unit data analyses. Accompanying technical documentation (also separately available on request) covers survey methodology, etc. Further information and an order form for tape purchases are contained in the free publication 8215.0

**New South Wales Energy Survey, Sample File on Magnetic Tape**

8215.1

*Irregular; First Issue Oct 1984 — Free Information Paper*

Provides details of the magnetic tape file which contains data for each household in the sample for the New South Wales Energy Survey conducted in October 1989. It also gives details of the availability of the sample file to users. Available from the Sydney Office (see back page for address and phone number).

## RETAIL CENSUS, SMALL BUSINESS

<b>Retail Industry: Details of Operations, Australia</b>	8640.0
<i>Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk</i>	
Contains details by industry of number of establishments, employment, wages and salaries, turnover, stocks, purchases, transfers—in and selected expenses, value added and floorspace. Number of establishments and value of retail sales by commodity item.	
<b>Retail Industry: Details of Operations, Australian Capital Territory, 1985-86</b>	8640.8
<i>Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk</i>	
For contents see 8640.0	
<b>Retail Industry: Details of Operations, New South Wales</b>	8640.1
<i>Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk</i>	
For contents see 8640.0	
<b>Retail Industry: Details of Operations, Northern Territory</b>	8640.7
<i>Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk</i>	
For contents see 8640.0	
<b>Retail Industry: Details of Operation, Queensland</b>	8640.3
<i>Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk</i>	
For contents see 8640.0	
<b>Retail Industry: Details of Operations, South Australia</b>	8640.4
<i>Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk</i>	
For contents see 8640.0	
<b>Retail Industry: Details of Operations, Victoria</b>	8640.2
<i>Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk</i>	
For contents see 8640.0	
<b>Retail Industry: Details of Operations, Western Australia</b>	8640.5
<i>Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk</i>	
For contents see 8640.0	
<b>Retail Industry: Details of Operations, Tasmania</b>	8640.6
<i>Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk</i>	
For contents see 8640.0	

**Retail Industry: Establishment Size Statistics, New South Wales**

8642.1

*Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk*

Contains data on number of establishments, employment turnover, floorspace and average weekly trading hours by industry classified by both turnover size and employment size. Commodity data classified by turnover size are also included.

**Retail Industry: Establishments Size Statistics, Queensland**

8642.3

*Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk*

For contents see 8642.1.

**Retail Industry: Establishment Size Statistics, South Australia**

8642.4

*Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk*

For contents see 8642.1.

**Retail Industry: Establishment Size Statistics, Tasmania**

8642.6

*Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk*

For contents see 8642.1.

**Retail Industry: Establishment Size Statistics, Victoria**

8642.2

*Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk*

For contents see 8642.1.

**Retail Industry: Establishment Size Statistics, Western Australia**

8642.5

*Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk*

For contents see 8642.1.

**Retail Industry: Small Area Statistics, New South Wales**

8641.1

*Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk*

The number of retail establishments, employment, the value of turnover, floorspace and average weekly trading hours is tabulated by Statistical Retail Area, industry class and group. Number of retail establishments, employment, wages and salaries, turnover and floorspace for each statistical local area. The data are also shown for selected shopping areas.

**Retail Industry: Small Area Statistics, Queensland**

8641.3

*Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk*

For contents see 8641.1.

**Retail Industry: Small Area Statistics, South Australia**

8641.4

*Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk*

For contents see 8641.1.

**Retail Industry: Small Area Statistics, Tasmania**

8641.6

*Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk*

For contents see 8641.1.

**Retail Industry: Small Area Statistics, Victoria**

8641.2

*Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk*

For contents see 8641.1

**Retail Industry: Small Industry Statistics, Western Australia**

8641.5

*Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk*

For contents see 8641.1.

**Retailing in the Australian Capital Territory**

8643.8

*Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk*

For contents see 8643.7

**Retailing in the Northern Territory**

8643.7

*Latest Issue 1985-86; \$65.00 — Floppy Disk*

Number of retail establishments, employment, the value of turnover, floorspace and average weekly trading hours by statistical trading area and industry class. Number of retail establishments, employment, wages and salaries, turnover and floorspace for each statistical local area. Also contains data of number of establishments, employment, turnover, floorspace and average weekly trading hours by industry class classified by both turnover size and employment size. Commodity data classified by turnover size are also included.

**BUILDING and CONSTRUCTION****Building Activity, Australia**

8753.0

*Quarterly, Annual; First Issue Sept Qtr 1983; \$5.50 per fiche — Microfiche*

Number of dwelling units and value and floor area of residential and non-residential buildings by class of building; private/public ownership; stage of construction; value of work done during period, value of work yet to be done; number and value of new houses by type of builder. Data are available for Australian total, State total, Statistical Division, Statistical Sub-division and Local Government Area.

**Building Approvals, Australia**

8734.0

*Monthly, Quarterly, Annual; First Issue Jan 1983; \$5.50 per fiche — Microfiche*

Number and value of residential and non-residential building jobs approved by class of building; private/public sector and approval value range. Also includes details on number, value and floor area of new houses approved by type of material of outer walls, roof and floor. Data are available for Australian total, State total, Capital City Statistical Division and State excluding Capital City Statistical Division.

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Number and value of residential and non-residential building jobs approved by class of building; private/public sector and approval value range. Also includes details on number, value and floor area of new houses approved by type of material of outer walls, roof and floor. Data are available for State total, Statistical Division, Statistical Sub-division and Local Government Area.

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